

**MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S MINUTES  
IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF ARIZONA – TUCSON**

**U.S. Magistrate Judge: D Thomas Ferraro**

**Date: April 9, 2019**

**USA v. Thomas Brice Velasco**

**Case Number: CR-18-00394-001-TUC-CKJ (DTF)**

**Assistant U.S. Attorney: Reese Valiant Bostwick**

**Attorney for Defendant: Jorge Leonardo Costales and Jordan Malka, (AFPD)**

**Interpreter: N/A**

**Defendant: ☒ Present ☒ Custody      Restraint Level 0**

**MATTER COMES BEFORE THIS COURT FOR MOTIONS HEARING**

The Court addresses the motion to amend order for competency filed by defense counsel.

Motion to Amend Order for Competency Examination is TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT [48].

Defense counsel invokes the rule.

The Court reminds the witness that the rule has been invoked and not to discuss testimony with anyone.

Parties stipulate to the admission of exhibits 64, 65, 66 and 67.

Aaron Lopez, TOPD Officer is sworn, examined, cross-examined and re-direct.

Government asks officer, Aaron Lopez to identify the Defendant in the courtroom. No objection.

The record reflects officer, Aaron Lopez has identified the Defendant in the courtroom.

Government presents Exhibit 66F1. ADMITTED. No objection.

Todd Scott, TOPD Officer is sworn, examined, cross-examined and re-direct.

Defense counsel presents Exhibit 66D-1. ADMITTED. No objection.

Martin Pesqueira, FPD Investigator is sworn, examined.

Motion to Suppress Evidence is TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT [26].

Parties present argument.

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Deputy Clerk Rose Chavez**

**Mtn Hrg: 2 hrs 6 mins**

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